

apparatus is operated both as motor and as generator.

4. (Amended) A method according to claim 1, wherein the power coming from the slip between the windmill rotor and the primary generator is delivered to the electric network by the frequency converter.

5. (Amended) A method according to claim 1, wherein the slip between the windmill rotor and the primary generator has magnitude from -50% to +50%.

7. (Amended) A method according to claim 1, wherein the resistor is used in designs with little slip for preventing torsion oscillations and the like.

10. (Amended) A windmill according to claim 8, wherein the apparatus is arranged so that it may function either as motor, as generator, or both as motor and generator.

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Reconsideration and allowance are respectfully requested.

Attached hereto is a marked-up version of the changes made to the specification and claims by the current amendment. The attached page is captioned "Version with markings to show changes made".

Applicant has also provided an abstract in compliance with the rules.